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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Queen Anne's

Village or City Stevensville No. \_\_\_\_\_

2 FULL NAME Lena Bailey

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 253

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Colad 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Dec. 24 1869  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 63 yrs. 10 mos. 8 ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min. If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work House wife  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) 2 A Co. Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER John Niherson

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) 2 A Co. Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Susan Bradley

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) 2 A Co. Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Harriott Fisher

(Address) Stevensville Md

15 Filed Sept 1st 1931 J. C. Thomas Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 1 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from June 9 1929 to Sept 1 1931, that I last saw her alive on Aug 30 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4 p m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Gas gangrene left leg (acquired 2 years ago), boils, abscesses, carbuncles  
(Duration) 2 yrs. 2 mos. 2 ds.  
gas gangrene abscess of rectum  
(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. 11 ds.

(Signed) Theodor Sattlerman M. D.  
Sept 1 1931 (Address) Stevensville

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Church Burial lot DATE OF BURIAL Sept 3 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Haugh A. Legg ADDRESS Stevensville Md

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10964

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Queen Anne  
Village or City PrierRegistration Dist. No. 251No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Medford Thomas Cahall(a) Residence: No. Prier md. St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

M

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

W5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)Single5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1879

## 7. AGE

52

Years

Months

9

Days

5If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Retired Farmer9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Church Hill  
2. d. Co. md.

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

John Thomas Cahall14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Maryland

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Martha Senney16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Maryland17. INFORMANT  
(Address)Mrs J. C. Mullikin

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place Church Hill Date Sept 9, 193119. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)Robt. W. Eddins  
Centerville md.

## 20. FILED

Sept 8, 1931 Th. H. Gory

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Sept. 6 - 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

May 1, 1931, to Sept 6, 1931I last saw him alive on Sept 5, 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 4:30 P.M.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Acute Myocardial Infarction in hospital  
coronary, right side, curd.  
Probably malignant.

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation For diagnosis - Date of June 1931What test confirmed diagnosis? Laboratory Was there an autopsy? No

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_ M. D.

(Signed) W. H. Fisher(Address) Centerville md.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

V. S. No. 1

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

P. O. B.

10955

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 250

Village or City

Barday

(No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

Jelly B. Dickerson

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Small

4 COLOR OR RACE

Col

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Aug 15, 1887  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

44 yrs. 1 mos. 03 ds. or LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_ min.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Home Wks

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Ind

10 NAME OF FATHER

Geo S. Dickerson

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Ind

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Louise Whitico

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Ind

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Willard Dickerson

(Address)

Barday Ind

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Filed Sep-19 1931

Martha A. Phillips  
Deputy Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept 18, 1931

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

Sept 2, 1931 to Sept 15, 1931

that I last saw him alive on Sept 17, 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Acute Exanthema

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Indiscriminate Eating

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed)

C. H. M. T. C.

M. D.

Sept 15, 1931 (Address) Baltimore, Ind

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In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Barday Col. Cem.

DATE OF BURIAL

Sept 20, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

W. H. Good

ADDRESS

Church Hill

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Balto., Requesting V. S. No. 1.



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BUREAU U. S.

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County

Village or City

2 FULL NAME

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the words)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

If LESS than  
1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs.  
\_\_\_\_ min.?

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(State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

Filed

Sept 28 1921

W. H. Good

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from  
Sept 27 1921 to Sept 27 1921  
that I last saw her alive on Sept 27 1921

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11:30 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed)

Sept 28 1921

(Address)

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DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

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OCT 6 1931  
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1 PLACE OF DEATH June  
County Queen

Village or City Crumpton (No. \_\_\_\_\_) St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

2 FULL NAME Sallie Lockett Lemmon

10967 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 255

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widow

6 DATE OF BIRTH March 21, 1853  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 78 yrs. 6 mos. 8 ds. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) None

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Delaware

10 NAME OF FATHER James Woodace

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Underwood

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Delaware

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mary S. Sheppard

(Address) Crumpton

15 Filed Sept 30 1931 W. M. Stader Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept. 29, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from June 2 1931 to Sept 29, 1931.

that I last saw him alive on Sept 29, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7:30 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Arterio Sclerosis

(Duration) 2 yrs. 6 mos. 0 ds.

Contributory Coronary Regurgitation  
Secondary

(Duration) 4 yrs. 6 mos. 0 ds.

(Signed) W. Stader M. D.

Oct 1 1931 (Address) Crumpton

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Crumpton Cemetery

DATE OF BURIAL Oct 2, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Harbo & Goff

ADDRESS Crumpton Rd

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Queen Anne

Village or City

Cranston

(No.)

 10958 STATE OF MARYLAND  
 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

205

St. Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

Betty May (Booth) Graham

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Female

4 COLOR OR RACE

White

5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Aug 9, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

1 yrs. .... mos. .... ds. or .... min. ?  
If LESS than 1 day .... hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Infant

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Queen Anne's Md

10 NAME OF FATHER

Charles Booth

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Del

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Anne Graham

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Charles Booth

(Address)

Mary Del Del

15

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Sept 7, 1931 H M Stacks  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept 6, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

Aug 9, 1931, to Sept 6, 1931  
that I last saw her alive on Sept 6, 1931  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Malnutrition  
Suicide BirthContributory  
Secondary(Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.  
Premature Birth

(Signed)

J. H. Stacks

M. D.

192. (Address)

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

In the State, .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Cranston

DATE OF BURIAL

Sept 7, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

Charles Booth

ADDRESS

Mary Del.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Queen Anne's

Village or City Grasonville (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME Robert Merton Horney

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH May 16, 1927  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 4 yrs. 3 mos. 29 ds. If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work none  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Grasonville

10 NAME OF FATHER Wm. H. Horney

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Grasonville

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Agnes Virginia Duval

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Grasonville

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Wm. H. Horney  
(Address) Grasonville

15 Filed Sept. 17 1931 Helen M. Aldridge  
Registrar

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 254

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept. 15, 1931.  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from was brought dead to  
that I was my office (in my car)

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at home.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows: 3:30 pm

Automobil accident on State Road in Grasonville

fractured skull marked  
brain protruding thru a 4 inch  
Contributed Secondary gush on right temple

(Signed) Theodor Sattler, M.D.  
Sept. 15, 1931 (Address) Stevensville

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospital, Institution, Transients or Recent Residents) 1644 North corner

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Grasonville DATE OF BURIAL Sept. 17, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER W. W. Eddins ADDRESS Centerville



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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

2 FULL NAME

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

IF LESS than  
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business, or establishment in  
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(State or country)10 NAME OF  
FATHER11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country)12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 200

St.: Ward: (If death occurred in  
a hospital or institu-  
tion, give its NAME in-  
stead of street and  
number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from  
1921 to 1921.

that I last saw him alive on 1921,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7:30 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Chronic Nephritis

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) M. D.

7/3 1921 (Address) Med.

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State yrs. mos. ds.Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

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# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Queen Anne Registration Dist. No. 254  
 Village or City M. Centreville No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Albert Alexander Kilson  
 (a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>M</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>Colored</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>married</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>Mary Allen Kilson</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>June 15 - 1876</u>		
7. AGE Years <u>55</u>	Months <u>3</u>	Days <u>11</u>
If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.		
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>Laborer</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. _____		
10. Data deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) _____		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation _____

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) <u>S. A. Co. Md.</u> (State or country)
13. NAME <u>Samuel Kilson</u>
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) <u>S. A. Co. Md.</u> (State or country)
15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Katie Deader</u>
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) <u>Centreville Md.</u> (State or country)
17. INFORMANT <u>Mary Allen Kilson</u> (Address) <u>Centreville Md.</u>
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>Centreville</u> Date <u>9-29-1931</u>
19. UNDERTAKER <u>Robt. M. Eddins</u> (Address) <u>Centreville Md.</u>
20. FILED <u>Sept 27 - 31 Helen M. Aldridge</u> Registrar

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Sept - 26 - 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from Jan 1 1931 to Sept 26 1931  
 last saw him alive on Sept 2 1931; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 5 P. m.  
 The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Mitral Regurgitation

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_  
 What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:  
 Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_  
 Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Specify city or town, county and State)  
 Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_  
 Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Signed) Samuel Price M. D.  
 (Address) Centreville

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10972

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Queen AnneVillage or City nr. CentrevilleRegistration Dist. No. 252

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

2. FULL NAME Stillborn Infant Miles

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <b>M</b>	4. COLOR OR RACE <b>W</b>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, end year)		
7. AGE Years	Months	Days
<b>STILLBORN</b>		If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month end year)		

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Queen Anne Co.  
(State or country)13. NAME Frank Miles14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Md.  
(State or country)15. MAIDEN NAME Hattie McMullen16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Md.  
(State or country)17. INFORMANT Frank Miles  
(Address) Centreville18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMDVAL  
Place Wye Mills, Md. Date 9-15-, 193119. UNDERTAKER Robt. W. Eddins  
(Address) Centreville, Md.20. FILED 9-15-31, 1931 Robt. E. Eddins Dept.  
Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month) Sept. 15, 1931  
(Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

, 19\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

I last saw him \_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 2:30 A. m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

Stillbirth

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did Injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether Injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of Injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or Injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed) Robt W Eddins Dep. L. R. R. R.  
(Address) Centreville

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*1921*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

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The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Date of onset

*Attack of epilepsy*

*1 week ago*

*Run over by street car*

*1 week ago*

*Peritonitis*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Queen Anne

Village or City Church Hill (No. \_\_\_\_\_) St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

2 FULL NAME Margaret Rebecca Nickerson

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 25-1

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Widowed  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 5, 1844  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 87 yrs. 7 mos. 11 ds. If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work at home  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) Home keeper

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER John Lucas

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary McCosh

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs. Editha Mullenda

(Address) Baltimore

15 Filed Sept 19 1921 W. H. Good  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH September 16, 1921  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 15, 1921, to Sept 16, 1921,

that I last saw him alive on Sept 16, 1921,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 5:20 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Arterio Sclerosis  
(Duration) 2 yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) H. George Simpson M. D.

Sept 17, 1921. (Address) Church Hill

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Church Hill DATE OF BURIAL Sept 19 1921

20 UNDERTAKER W. H. Good ADDRESS Church Hill

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

**Statement of Occupation**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Compositor, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman, etc.* But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner, (b) Cotton mill; (a) Salesman, (b) Grocery; (a) Foreman, (b) Automobile factory.* The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Doy laborer, Form laborer, Laborer—Coal mine, etc.* Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework, or At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school, or At home.* Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid, etc.* If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Farmer (retired 6 yrs).* For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None.*

**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anæmia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL *septicaemia, "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc.* State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.

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# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10974

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

*2d*

Village or City

*Grasonville*

No.

*207*

Registration Dist. No.

*254*

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

Yrs.

Mos.

Ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

Yrs.

Mos.

Ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

*Clifton Pearson*

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

*male*

4. COLOR OR RACE

*W*

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

*widower*

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

*Feb. 6 - 1852*

7. AGE

Years

*74*

Months

*7*

Days

*6*

If LESS than

1 day, hrs. or min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

*Mathematician*

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

*Balto. Md.*

13. NAME

*Albert Allen Pearson*

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

*New York*

15. MAIDEN NAME

*Don't know*

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

*No Record*

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

*Carroll Pearson  
Grasonville Md*

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

*Centreville*

Date

*9-13-31*

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

*Robt. W. Maddox  
Centreville Md*

20. FILED

*9-13-31*

*Heleen M. Aldridge*

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

### 21. DATE OF DEATH

*9 - 12 - 1931*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

, 19, to , 19

I last saw him alive on , 19; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Struck by railway train and instantly killed.*

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? *Accidental* Date of Injury *9/12*, 19*31*

Where did injury occur? *Grasonville, Md.*

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

*Public Place*

Manner of injury

*Struck while crossing RR*

Nature of injury

*Ground to pieces*

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

*No*

If so, specify

(Signed)

*John M. B. B. B.*

M. D.

(Address)

*Centreville, Md.*

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<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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**Example II**

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10975

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County 2. a.

Village or City Ruthsburg

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX m. 4. COLOR OR RACE w. 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) single

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Feb. 16 1854

7. AGE Years 77 Months 6 Days 16 If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Germany (State or country)

13. NAME Donk-Kueno No Risch

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) \_\_\_\_\_ (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME " "

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) \_\_\_\_\_ (State or country)

17. INFORMANT Mrs Sadie Emory (Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place Barens Farm Date 9-4- 1931

19. UNDERTAKER Robt W. Eddins (Address) Centre ville Md.

20. FILED Sept 3, 1931 Robt W. Eddins Registrar.

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

#### 21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, 1931, to \_\_\_\_\_, 1931

I last saw him alive on Aug 15, 1931; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 1931

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

M. D.

(Address)

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Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Queen Anne

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

255

Village or City

Pondhorn

(No.

St.

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## 2 FULL NAME

Bessie May Tiller

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Female

4 COLOR OR RACE

Colored

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Dec. 19

1926

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

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.....yrs.....mos.....da. or.....min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or  
particular kind of work

School

(b) General nature of industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Md

10 NAME OF  
FATHER

George Tiller

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER

Md

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER

Annie Elliott

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER

Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

George Tiller

(Address)

Pondhorn

15

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Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept 3

1923

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

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I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

Aug. 20

1923

to

Sept. 2

1923

that I last saw her alive on

Sept. 2

1923

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at

10 A. M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Typhoid Fever

(Duration) ..... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

Contributory  
Secondary

Acute Typhoid

(Duration) ..... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

(Signed)

J. H. Staff

M. D.

(Address)

Pondhorn

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Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Trans-  
ients, or Recent Residents)At place  
of death ..... yrs. .... mos. .... da.In the  
State, ..... yrs. .... mos. .... da.Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Pondhorn Church

Sept 3 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

J. H. Staff

ADDRESS

Church Hill

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County

Queen Anne

Village or City

near Millington Md

(No.

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

388

St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## 2 FULL NAME

Wallace

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Male

4 COLOR OR RACE

White

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Sept 21, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

Still Birth

If LESS than  
1 day....hrs.

....yrs. ....mos. ....ds. or ....min. ?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or  
particular kind of work.

Child

(b) General nature of industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Queen Anne Co Md

10 NAME OF  
FATHER

George J. Wallace

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER

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12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER

Margaret E Redmond

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER

Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

George J. Wallace

(Address)

Millington Md

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Filed

Sept 23 1931

M. Stack

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept 21, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

Sept 21, 1931, to Sept 21, 1931.  
that I last saw him alive on Sept 21, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Premature Birth

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) ....yrs. ....mos. ....ds.

4 month Gestation

(Signed)

M. Stack

M. D.

Sept 21, 1931. (Address) Millington Md

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Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death ....yrs. ....mos. ....da. In the State, ....yrs. ....mos. ....da.

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Millington Md

Sept 23, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

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Millington

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